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PEOPLE AND THINGS

WE SEE AND HEAR OF

Democratic rally at the court house tomorrow night.

Hon. J. J. B. Johnson of Paris was in the city Monday.

Cyrus C. Thompson of Denson's Landing was here Monday.

Dr. J. M. Moses of Big Sandy was the guest of Dr. W. T. Hubbs Monday.

Miss Alice Lee Denslow visited homefolks at Memphis Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Neola Anderson of Divider and Robert Smith entered school here this week.

Mrs. Stella Lee of Plant visited her sister, Mrs. H. W. McGill, a few days this week.

Sample copies of the New Idea Magazine for ladies can be had by calling at this office.

Lem Thompson of Memphis is spending a two week's vacation here with homefolks.

Miss Ethel Murray spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives at Huntingdon.

Charles Hudson was called home from Arkansas the first of this week by the illness of his brother.

Miss Clara Ruth Wooldridge, who spent the summer at Gleason with relatives, returned last week.

Camden needs more dwellings. The supply is not equal to the demand, in fact there have been from five to ten applicants for every dwelling erected here in the past four years.

THE CHRONICLE and Nashville Weekly American, \$1.00 per year. Two for the price of one.

Miss Bessie Bowles left Monday for McEwen where she will teach a large class in physical culture and expression.

Mrs. Gordon Blackman of Wartrace spent a few days here this week with the family of her brother, A. S. Justice.

Rev. T. L. Duncan of Plant was called here the latter part of last week by the death of his sister, Mrs. Hiram Allison, of the Chalk Level community.

Every Democrat in the fifth district should attend the meeting at the court house tomorrow night and join in swelling the roll of the Fifth District Democratic Club.

Senator E. W. Carmack, who has been campaigning in West Tennessee this week, will speak at Nashville tonight when he will make reply to the speeches of the Secretary of the Treasury, the Hon. Leslie M. Shaw.

Prof. M. E. Wooldridge left last Sunday for Louisville, Ky., to attend a theological school for the purpose of entering the ministry. His family left Tuesday, going by way of Nashville. They go with the best wishes of their many Camden friends.

The Republicans met here last Monday and endorsed the candidacy of Dr. J. M. Moses for federal representative. W. F. Maiden was made chairman of the meeting and S. A. Byrn secretary. Dr. Moses was present and made a short speech, and was followed by William Spellings of McKenzie, who was here in the interest of the Republican candidate for Congress.

FREE FARM BULLETINS.

Tennessee Experiment Station is Doing a Good Work for the Farmer.

EDITOR THE CHRONICLE:

The Tennessee Experiment Station located at Knoxville, under the efficient supervision of H. A. Morgan, director, is doing a great work for the farmers of the State, though we think a branch station located in West Tennessee would be in a position to render a great deal more aid to West Tennessee farmers than the Knoxville station. A movement was set on foot at the Jackson Institute to secure a branch station in West Tennessee. This movement received the unanimous support of the West Tennessee Farmers' Institute, and we think it is entitled to the unqualified endorsement and support of our Benton County farmers. If you, brother farmers, are in favor of this movement, kindly speak to our prospective members of the next general assembly in regard to the matter.

The writer, acting in his capacity as secretary of the Benton County Farmers' Institute, sent a large list of our farmers addresses to the Tennessee Experiment Station and also to the Agricultural Department at Washington City, in order that the free publications of both departments might be sent to them. If, however, there are any of our farmers who are not receiving these publications, you can obtain them by forwarding your addresses to these departments. Mr. H. A. Morgan, director of the Tennessee Experiment Station, is anxious to aid our farmers in every way possible. You may address your communications to him direct if you prefer.

The University of Tennessee, of which the Tennessee Experiment Station is a branch, has arranged a short course of education for farmers and farmers sons, which is entirely free to all who wish to avail themselves of it. The course can be taken during the winter months when the weather is too severe to do much on the farm.

Professor Morgan asked me to place this matter before our Benton County farmers. I will take the responsibility of saying that if any of our farmers can see their way clearly to take advantage of this generous offer, that you will never have cause to regret it. I would be glad, indeed, to see a score or more of our young farmers take advantage of this proposition. If any one desires to take this course, he may write to H. A. Morgan, director experiment station, Knoxville, Tenn., or call on "yours truly" at Camden.

Lastly, but not least, I would say to our Benton County farmers that there is one way in which we may be greatly benefitted by the aid of the Tennessee Experiment Station or the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C. I would suggest, however, that we should apply to the former. That is, by having made a survey of our various soils and a chemical analysis of their component parts.

This would show us what elements of plant life are deficient in our soils, and to what extent such deficiency exists. Furthermore, it would point out the proper and necessary elements, or fertilizer, if you please, that would be required to make a soil properly balanced with plant food. This would, as you may readily see, result in a great saving of fertilizer bills to our farmers, for then they would know what elements to buy and what not to buy. At present we are groping our way in the dark on the fertilizer question. We are simply feeding our soils without having any practical, definite idea as to what they need in order

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Yours truly,

I. N. BRIDGES,

Secretary Benton County Farmers Institute.

ELIHU HUDSON DEAD.

Elihu Hudson, who was brought home from Nashville last week, died Tuesday night. He had been employed at Nashville for more than a year. He was taken sick a short time ago, and he gradually grew worse and it was thought best to bring him home, but his condition was not considered very alarming until late Tuesday evening he became unconscious and sank rapidly. He was the third son of Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Hudson, and was about 31 years of age. Much sympathy is felt for the family in their sudden bereavement. The burial was at Rushing's Creek Cemetery Wednesday afternoon, and was largely attended. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. M. Mathis.

S. A. Clement, M. L. Hardin and Miss Lucas Wyly conducted the examination for county superintendent, concluding the examination yesterday.

SAVED HIS LIFE.

J. W. Davenport, Wingo, Ky., writes, June 14, 1902: "I want to tell you I believe Ballard's Snow Liniment saved my life. I was under the treatment of two doctors, and they told me one of my lungs was entirely gone, and the other badly affected. I also had a lump on my side. I don't think I could have lived over two months longer. I was induced by a friend to try Ballard's Snow Liniment. The first application gave me great relief; two fifty-cent bottles cured me sound and well. It is a wonderful medicine, and I recommend it to suffering humanity. Sold by the Fry Drug Co.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

County Clerk W. D. Cooper has issued marriage licenses as follows: W. H. Hinson and Alice Bledsoe, N. T. Townsend and M. J. Smith, John Coats and Sallie Barnes.

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The new Ladies' Wraps are just in, and I have all kinds—long and short—also the long Crevinets, the very thing you want, also a big lot of Misses, Children and Infants' Wraps.

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